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Order your Valentines Day Balloons for Delivery January 28 — February 8, 2002 @ ASBG
See Lisa or Carrie

Governor's Budget Cuts WILL effect Clatsop College over next few years!

What is going on? "As you may know, the governor announced recently his potential budget cuts. In about a week he will make final his proposed new budget for consideration in the coming special session of the Legislature, which is expected to complete its work by about February 15. The next version of the Governor's budget will take into account the reaction of the public and the Legislature to the cuts, and their resulting effects, described in his message of January 7.

In short, his current budget description calls for an 8% reduction in State funding of community colleges (vs. 6% for K-12 and 10% for higher ed.) The timing of these cuts means that they will mostly take effect in the second year of the biennium, but has to be absorbed mainly in the second year, the net effect is to double the percentage cut for next year. Thus, a 2% cut in the biennium really becomes a 4% reduction in our State funds for next year."

How will this impact CCC? "The least we can expect is a 2% cut (4% for next year). An entirely possible scenario is a cut of closer to 4 or 6% (8 or 12% for next year). The maximum cut contemplated by the Governor is 8% (16% for next year), but the Legislature has the opportunity to vary from the Governor's recommendations. The potential percentage reductions in State support could reduce CCC revenues for next year by $141,993 (at 2%) to $567,970 (at 8%). These calculations would have to be confirmed by the State and could be adjusted according to the funding formula which takes into account constantly shifting enrollments throughout the State."

How are we planning for this?

" Since we must build a balanced budget with an adequate contingency to comply with State law and the requirements of our accrediting association, the administration is taking immediate steps to effect savings for the balance of this budget year. We will also develop proposals for additional savings to discuss" in the coming weeks. Also in coming, " the administration will develop refined estimates of revenues and expenditures for FY03 (next year), savings projected through strategic planning to date, additional potential savings through various means, revenue enhancement strategies, new or modified elements of our future strategic planning, a series of 'adjustment scenarios' which demonstrate how our budget could be adjusted to account for differing levels of reduction in State funding for next year, and a timetable for making the necessary decisions."

"We will continue to move forward in the development of needed, improved facilities. These are essential for our future, regardless of variations in our operational funding from time to time. In February we will be scheduling a series of meetings between the Board and employees to dialogue on these issues and develop greater consensus on next steps in our facilities development strategy. We have, and will continue to have, the essentials for a vibrant, forward moving college!"

~ Source, President John Wubben

SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION

FMA Manufacturing Technology Scholarships

Students who are Student Members of FMA or its technology affiliate, the Tube and Pipe Association, International (TPA).
Student whose parents or guardians are Personal members of FMA or TPA.
Full-time students who are employed by Company Members of FMA or TPA.
Students whose parents or guardians are employed by Company Members of FMA or TPA.

Membership in FMA or TPA must have begun before January 1,2002. Applications are reviewed by FMA Foundation's Scholarship Committee, whose decision is final.

Application deadline April 3, 2002. Applications available in Student Services and down at the IMTC building at the MERTS campus.

~ DEADLINE IS APPROACHING FAST FOR SPRING SCHOLARSHIPS! ~

Check this one out!

In keeping with its long-standing tradition of serving the community, Talbots has established a unique, national $100,000 scholarship program: a fund just for women who earned their high school diploma or GED at least 10 years ago, and who are now seeking a college degree. Deadline Date March 1, 2002. Applications also available in the Student Services Scholarship bin.

Applicants to the Talbots Women's Scholarship Fund must--

*Be women currently residing in the United States;
*Be women who have earned a high school diploma or their GED on or before September 1992;
*Be enrolled or planning to enroll in a full- or part-time undergraduate course of student at an accredited 2 or 4 year college, university, or vocational-technical school; And have at least two semesters (or a minimum of 24 credit hours) remaining to complete their undergraduate degree as of the beginning of the 2002 fall academic term.

Student who have previously obtained a bachelor's degree are not eligible to apply.

See www.talbots.com/about/scholar/scholar.asp for an application

Deadline date March 1, 2002.

SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION

~Scholarship Information~

The $4,000 Pell Grant Maximum award contained in both the House and Senate versions of the FY 2002 appropriations bill is in jeopardy due to the estimated increasing numbers of eligible students qualifying for Pell Grants and the expected increasing cost of the program. Both NASFAA and the Student Aid Alliance feel that phone calls or e-mail communications to Congress will be effective in avoiding a reduction of the maximum award to last years level. WASFAA will send an e-mail letter supporting this campaign but you and your students can easily send a pre-written message by going to: www.studentaidalliance.org, clicking on "contact Washington", entering your zip code and automatically sending a message to all your Congressional leaders. Please take a few minutes now to work on saving the $4,000 Pell Grant for needy students nationwide!

The American Lung Association of Oregon has sponsored the following scholarship:
Sadie Orr Dunbar Nursing Education Trust Fund
Applicants must have been accepted to a graduate nursing degree program in an institution of higher learning and must practice in Oregon upon graduation. Particular emphasis is given to preparation in community health nursing.
The Trust was established by the Oregon Federation of Women's Clubs and the American Lung Association of Oregon in 1956 in recognition of Sadie Orr Dunbar who was a leader in the development of public health services in Oregon. Awards are made to the two best-qualified applicants. The average award is $1,500 to $2,000
Applications may be obtained from :
American Lung Association of Oregon
7420 SW Bridgeport Road, Suite 200
Tualatin, Oregon 97224-7711
Or by calling 1-800-LUNG USA or 503-924-4094 ext. 20
email: gail@lungoregon.org
Application Deadline: March 15, 2002. Awards to be made after Jun 1, 2002.

HERE IS A GREAT RESOURCE FOR FEDERAL LOANS, MONEY, SCHOLARSHIPS, ETC.
HTTP://WWW.FEDMONEY.ORG/

Job Listings

Announcement available on the Employment Board at Student Services.
Applications available on line at www.oregonjobs.org
the Local employment department,
most state agency personnel offices,
or the kiosk site (at Fertig Hall).

Oregon Literacy Inc.

Oregon Literacy Incorporated, located in Portland,OR, is seeking work-study students, interns and volunteers.
Oregon Literacy works closely with three dozen programs across the state who use volunteers to help other adults improve their literacy skills. These programs are usually either independent, community based programs, or are located within a community college. Tutoring programs Leverage community resources through partnerships with volunteers, donors, and in-kind services.
JOB DESCRIPTION FOR WORK-STUDY POSITIONS:
Work-Study students at Oregon Literacy provide important services to support the literacy programs in Oregon. Each work-study student's duties vary because we strive to match each student with duties that match their interests, skills and career goals. In the past, for example, they have worked with media outlets to recruit students and tutors, worked on the OLI web-site, and supported the statewide "Literacy Line" which is a hot-line set up to match students with tutors.
Work-study students also fill office support needs, and assist with mailings, data entry, copying and phones. These duties are seldom more than 40% of the student's total time, and usually much less. Hours are flexible, but are scheduled with each student to be between 9-5 M-F.

Oregon Literacy continued...

JOB DESCRIPTION FOR INTERNS AND VOLUNTEERS
Interns and volunteers at OLI work in dependently on a "project" basis. Each individual is matched with a project that fits their interests and career goals as closely as possible.

For example:
Event Coordinating
Grant Writing
Fundraising
Journalism
Video Production
Media Relations
Public Relations /Marketing
Graphic Design
Internships are between 15-40 hours a week, set by the
student. All hours are worked between 9-5 M-F. Interns
may also be called on to assist staff and volunteers
with office support but this will be no more than 20% of each interns time.

For more information about Oregon Literacy Inc. go to www.oregonliteracy.org
or e-mail Meg Young, Executive Director at meg@oregonliteracy.org with any questions.

Thank you very much!

Job Listings

UPS

There is a paid position ($8.50 per hour) at UPS. Interviews at the employment department in Astoria on Monday, January 14th beginning at 9am. Here is a job description. If you are interested, contact the employment department about job order #1502186.
Part-time UPS worker. Unload trucks into semi-trucks. Wash delivery trucks as needed. Work performed during the hours of 4 pm to 10 pm M-F. Must have a clean driving record. Benefits available after a 6 month probationary period. Call the Employment Department at 325-4821 for an appointment.

Volunteer work is GREAT for Scholarship Applications!

Darlene Felkins has an opening for a volunteer office assistant at the United Way office.
This is an opportunity for a student to apply their newly acquired office technology skills.
Contact Darlene at 325-1961 for an interview.
You can review the United Way web site at uwcc@pacifier.com

Arts and Ideas

The Arts & Ideas program is looking for someone to place our event posters in businesses in Warrenton, Gearhart, Seaside, and Cannon Beach. This would be an ideal job for a student coming up here from the Seaside/Cannon Beach area. The position pays $7.00 per hour plus mileage. The work is a little sporadic, as we just need posters take around several weeks before an event is scheduled for the PAC or at the Art Center Gallery. We really need someone right away to put up some posters for our January events. We will also have several events in each month that we'll need to have posters taken to the businesses.
Please contact Jill Thurston between 1pm and 5pm at 338-2351 or leave mesg.@ 338-2473. This is a good opportunity to make some extra cash and meet some local business people, and who knows - - it might lead to future opportunities!

Cooperative Work Experience???

How do you get a job without experience?
How do you get experience without a job?
Take Co-op, and solve the riddle!
Contact Mary Merrill for more information @ P230

Astoria High School

AHS is looking for a part-time coordinator with an Oregon Teaching Certificate to head a grant funded after school and summer program.
Duties include:
providing tutor support,
developing after school programs,
and developing/monitoring job shadow and work experience activities.
Please call Catherine Orr at:
325-6443

Untitled
By, Savannah Reeves

I used to watch as she sat
By the window and waited
On the days when she knew
He'd come home.

I'll never understand
Just how she could tell
Which was his,
But she'd always know!

Her face would light up
And she'd go stir her pot
Check her mirror
To look good for her beau

And he'd burst through that door
Give a shout " Hi ya Doll!"
And she'd smile
And giggle as though,

She couldn't smell the stench
That reaked on his clothes
Or the fish that
He'd brought her, in tow.

She'd wrap her arms 'bout his neck
And give a long peck
Whisper, "Hi ya sailor,
I missed ya so!"

The children would smirk
at their parents sweet quirk
And wait on the sofa
Lined up in a row

As sailor told tales
Of 50 feet swells
And how the wind
Tossed them to and fro.

Continued...

He'd tell of storms that were wild
As an undisciplined child
And threw dinner
right into the boat!

And nights when the stars
Were all you could see
And he'd sit
And think up new poems.

Now years have gone by
And Sailor quit fishin
They moved to the city
And the children are grown.

But we all miss the times
Doll would sit by the window
And wait for her Sailor
To come home.

DON'T FORGET!
FISHER POETS IS COMING UP NEXT MONTH!

Do you write Poetry or know someone who does?
***The Bandit* is always looking to feature local talent**
For all the students and staff to enjoy!
If you have a submissions or need more information please contact the ASBG Senator of Student Publications, Savannah Reeves at:
338-2495 ~or~338-2359
Or stop by the office near Maxine's across from the bookstore!

Arts & Ideas

ANCIENT FIRES, THE ANAGAMA TRADITION
23 NORTHWEST ARTISTS WORKING IN NATURE
January 15, 2002—February 22, 2002
CCC ART Center Gallery

The Opening Reception for *Ancient Fires, The Anagama Tradition 23 Northwest Artists Working In Nature*, a Woodfired Pottery Group Show, will take place at the Art Center Gallery on the College Campus. Richard Rowland, ceramic artist and CCC Sculpture/Ceramics Instructor, along with Bill Ittmann, Art History Instructor and Art Center Gallery Director, are curating the show. Arts & Ideas will be selling posters at this event for $5 unsigned and $10 signed by the artists.

The following artists are paricipating in the exhibition: From Oregon: Janet bushkirk, Barb Campbell, Mark Heimann, Terry Inokuma, Jim Koudelka, Nils Lou, Jerry Martisak, Brad Menninga, Brad Mildrexler, Stephan Mickey, Hiroshi Ogawa, Lillian Pitt, Wally Read, Richard Rowland, Tamae Sawano, and Jack Walsh. From Washington: John Benn, Colleen Gallager, John Harris, Christopher W. Knapp, Benjamin Krupaka, Joseph Pirog, and Al Tennant.

NORTH COAST SYMPHONIC BAND
James R. Smith, Conductor
January 15, 2002, 8:00 PM
CCC Performing Arts Center

Join us as we kick off 2002 with the Band's first concert of the new year.
Under the direction of James R. Smith, the band will perform *Symphonic poem*, a new composition by Johan de Meij.

WEIMAR X 2
January 24, 2002, 7:30 PM
CCC Performing Arts Center

Lucien Swerdloff and Karin Temple, with a multimedia presentation entitled *WEIMAR X 4*, will be the guest artists at the PAC on Thursday , January 24th. This project is based on a series of poems by Karin Temple and images by Lucien Swerdloff and original musical compositions performed by violinist Gary Kieske. Arts & Ideas will be selling the Weimar X 2 book for $5.

IN THE LAND OF THE WAR CANOES
February 2, 2002, 1:00 PM
CCC Performing Arts Center

This event will begin with a 45-minute presentation by local educator, historian and artist Jim Bergeron, who is very familiar with *In the Land of the War Canoes*, a film made in 1914 by Edward S. Curtis. Jim's presentation will be followed by an informal discussion during a 15-minute intermission. At 2:00 PM the film, which was award ***** by Video Rating Guide, will be presented. A one-hour documentary about the making of this film will be shown at 3:00 PM. A display of Indian cultural objects will be featured throughout this event.

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COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

Whenever inclement weather is forecast or predicted, the following radio stations will be notified by 6:00 a.m.:

New Northwest Broadcasters 325-5923
KMUN 91.9 FM 325-0010
KCBZ 96.5 FM 717-0812
KCYS 98.8 FM 717-9643

On some occasions, classes will meet during the day and late afternoon conditions, such as accumulating snow or icy parking lots and sidewalks, will deteriorate.
Evening closure decisions will be made and broadcast by 5:00 p.m.

Any decisions to close campus occurring after 6:00 p.m.
An evening administrator will walk to each classroom and notify the faculty of the campus closure.

STUDENT DISCIPLINE PROCEDURES REVISED

On November 29, 2001 the President's Council approved some minor revisions to the Student Discipline Procedures. For a copy of the updated procedure, contact Lois Tivey in Student Services, Towler 200

Fair time roundin' the corner!

It's time to decide about our participation in the Clatsop County fair (July 30-August 3rd) Five days of Fun! ;-)
I'm looking for volunteers interested in forming a Fair committee to join Thom T. and myself to make those tough decisions. For all of you who had strong opinions about doing things differently this next time, here's your chance to make a difference!
All ideas welcome but be willing to be a booth volunteer too!

Paula St. James, Director of Communications: (503) 338-2503

ART Needed for RAIN MAGAZINE!

For more information Contact:
Julie Brown P335 338-2471

COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

Phi Theta Kappa

Pi Phi Chapter of Pi Theta Kappa Honor Society celebrated Founders Day in November with a cake and coffee party in the campus café. Information pamphlets were given to inquiring students. If you think you might qualify for PTK please stop by our office, Patriot Hall third floor, 338-2319. We have plenty of pamphlets. Or you can make an appointment with PTK Advisors Florence Sage, 338-2319 or Ross Seligman, 338-2318.

PTK distributed "Thank you apples" randomly to teachers on campus. When was the last time you thanked your teachers for all their hard work to get *you* through school?
Please check the Patriot Hall information board for pamphlets and to learn about current events.

We have some concessions sales scheduled for the Performing Arts Center Theater early in January: The North Coast Symphonic Band Concert, Tuesday January 15th, and Weimar X 4 on Thursday January 24th, 2002.
Stop by and sign up to volunteer to serve Concessions or usher for those events. Volunteer participants receive free tickets to PAC events.
Co-Presidents Matthew White and Dale Rogers have resigned, citing a priority of very full academic schedules. Vice President Jennifer Binkley has assumed the role of President for the Pi Phi Chapter. The office of Vice President has been filled by the appointment of Mia McClain and Amanda Griffith. Both are active Pi Phi Chapter members. Secretary and Treasurer officers remain the same, Janet Willener and Jacob Lear.

We are updating our e-mail address system. Please drop by our office and give us your current address so we can inform you directly of upcoming activities and notices of meetings.
Before you toss that empty soda can look for a clearly marked PTK recycling can to place it in. Recycling the cans helps us to provide scholarship money and other services to the community. As how you can qualify for a Pi Theta Kappa Scholarship.

Source, Press Release from PTK

ATTENTION STUDENTS!

Now is the PRIME time to apply for financial aid for September 2002-June 2003.
You can apply online at **www.fafsa.ed.gov**
OR
You can pick up a Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) in the Financial Aid office. Either way, we encourage you to do it as soon as you can to ensure your funding for the next academic year.
~ Clatsop Financial Aid Office

DID YA KNOW, DID YA KNOW, DID YA KNOW???

Did ya Know ~

That ASBG has all kinds of fun stuff that you can borrow???

***Canoes**
***Snowboards**
***Ski's & some gear**
***Tennis rackets**
***Weights**
***Camp stove**
***Ping Pong table**
***Bowling ball**
***Volleyball w/net**
***Clam guns**
***Golf clubs**

***See John Valet in ASBG**

~ and much , much more!

Did ya Know ~

You can put stuff in ***The Bandit*** about important student body events!

Did ya Know ~

ASBG can help you with Student Rights, Responsibilities, Conduct, Discipline, and Complaints?
ASBG is here as STUDENT advocates!

Did ya Know ~

That Lives in Transition is a FREE CLASS and you get 6 Credits for completion! Talk to Elaine Heck or Patty McDowell in Towler 209 or call 338-2377 for more information!

Quote of the Month

Failure is not the Process of falling down,
But that of Staying down!

THERE'S A FIRST TIME FOR EVERYTHING . . .
EVEN DONATING BLOOD.

Remember the first time you rode a bicycle - or the first time you had to give a speech? Your first date? Or your first job interview?

Each time, you faced the uncertainties and fears of the new experience. Each time, you felt proud of the fact that you did it.

Giving blood is just like that . . . until you've done it, you don't know how easy it is. Just ask one of the more than 23,717 people in our region who gave blood for the first time last year or one of our regular donors who together provided 206,315 units of blood needed by patients in our communities.

Donating blood is a safe, almost painless procedure that saves lives. Everyone knows someone who has needed blood. Knowing how important blood is to patients helps overcome the fear of the needle. In fact, you are only donating blood for less than ten minutes, though you should set aside an hour for the entire process of:

Registration

Medical History

Donation

Cookies and Refreshments

Because sterile technique and disposable needles are used, you cannot get AIDS or any other disease from donating blood.

There are some good things to know about giving blood. Each time you donate, you get a free check of your:

Blood Pressure

Red Cell

Temperature

In a few weeks you'll be sent your donor card which shows your blood type and a record of your donation. You'll have the good feeling that comes with knowing that your blood has been used to save the lives of up to four patients.

So please sign up to donate blood at the upcoming Blood Drive.

ALL YOU'LL FEEL IS GOOD!

American Red Cross

JANUARY 2002

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1 **Happy New Years Day *2002***	2 Registration for Winter Term begins again	3	4	5
6	7 **Get to Class!** New Book Return Jan 7-18	8	9	10 Deadline for Rain Magazine Submission **(might still take Art!)**	11 *Last Day to Register without late fee! *Last day to Drop and get 100% refund	12
13	14 **Scholarship** Applications Now available in Student Services	15 **Gallery Opening!**	16 **Work Study** Timesheets DUE by NOON!	17	18 *Last day to submit grad. petition for Winter Term *Last day to add/drop without a fee	19
20	21 **College Closed** Martin Luther King Jr. Day	22	23 Work study paychecks are available in the Business office!	24	25 ***Scholarship Applications ARE DUE!**	26
27	28 **Valentine Balloon Bouquets** ASBG taking orders through Feb.8th!	29 **BLOOD DRIVE!** Noon to 5pm Patriot Hall-3rd floor! Please donate!	30 ***February Bandit** Info Deadline is **Wed.,** Jan 30th, 2002	31		